SOCIAL WORK Bachelor of Arts (BA)

At least 120 hours required for graduation, and students must earn a 2.0 overall GPA, a 2.0 WSU GPA, and a 2.0 GPA in the major. Students must also complete all courses required for Liberal Arts and Sciences General Education. Also, Foreign Language courses (or the equivalents) are required for every BA degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

PRE-PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES:
(1) Completion of foundation courses with a grade of "C" or above:
ENGL 100 or 101  ENGL 102  COMM 111  MATH 111 or 131 or 112
Complete (for full admission) or be in the process of completing (for provisional admission) the following Social Work Pre-major courses:
BIOL 106/107 or Human Biology equivalent  PSY 111  SOC 111  SCWK 201
(2) Satisfactory completion of a noncredit orientation session.
(3) Submit application with personal narrative to the Social Work office for admission evaluation and decision. Applications are available in the Social Work office, Room 535 Lindquist Hall, and on the website at www.wichita.edu/socialwork. Deadline for application is March 1st for Fall semester; October 1st for Spring semester.

REQUIREMENTS FOR MAJOR: 45 hours

SCWK 201  Introduction to Social Work & Social Welfare (3)
SCWK 300  Policy 1: Understanding Social Welfare Policy (3)
SCWK 302  Techniques and Skills in Generalistic Practice (4)  (Prereq.: SCWK 201)
SCWK 351  Introduction to Social Work Research (3)
SCWK 360  Person in Society: Micro (3)  (Prereq.: Human Diversity Course)
SCWK 361  Person in Society: Macro (3)

Students must be formally admitted to the major in order to take 400-level classes, unless approval is granted by Social Work Director:

SCWK 400  Policy II: Connecting Policy and Practice (3)  (Prereq.: POLS 121, or HIST 131 or 132, and SCWK 300)
SCWK 401  General Practice with Groups (3)  (Prereq.: SCWK 302 and admission to the major)
SCWK 402  Practicum I (4)  (Prereq.: SCWK 302 and admission to the major)
SCWK 403  General Practice with Individuals (3)  (Prereq.: SCWK 302 and admission to the major)
SCWK 404  Practicum II (4)  (Prereq.: SCWK 402 and admission to the major)
SCWK 470  Generalist Practice with Organizations and Communities (3)  (Prereq.: SCWK 302 and admission to major)

Major Courses A and B Selection: 6 hours total, chosen from the following:
(one suggested fall semester junior year and one spring semester of senior year)

SCWK 304  Social Diversity and Ethics (3)
SCWK 340  Human Sexuality (3)
SCWK 385  Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Studies (3)
SCWK 407  Generalist Practice with Children and Families (3)
SCWK 541  Women and Poverty (3)
SCWK 542  International Social Work (3)
SCWK 571  Contemporary Issues and Perspectives – LGBTQ (3)
SCWK 572  Social Work Practice with Families of Diverse Cultures (3)
SCWK 610G  Policy and Practice with Aging (3)
SCWK 611C  Domestic Human Trafficking (3)

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Social Work students will be assigned to a faculty advisor when admitted to the BSW Program.
For general questions contact the Social Work Office.